

NEW CLUE GIVEN POLICE IN HUNT FOR GIRL'S SLAYER

Neighbors Heard New York Child Tortured and Know Young Man's Name.

NEW YORK, July 12.—A new clue in the Bronx murder mystery surrounding the death of twelve-year-old Julia Connors, whose mutilated body was found in a vacant lot last Sunday, caused a re-enforcement of detectives to be placed on the case today.

The police learned that the Connors girl was taken to Clason Point last Saturday night by a youth whom she knew, and that it was long past midnight before they returned. Three fresh detectives from the central office were placed upon this clue, while the other detectives and police working upon the case continued along the old lines.

Commotion in Flat.
Rose Packard, a stenographer, who lives at 3383 Third avenue, near the vacant lot where the Connors girl's remains were found, told the police that she believed that a number of people living in the tenement at 3383 Third avenue, are concealing from the police the fact that they heard a commotion in the flat last Sunday morning, when the girl was taken into it and tortured. Detectives have established the fact that the girl was stabbed and otherwise mistreated in a vacant apartment of this house before her body was secreted in a vacant lot near by.

"It is common talk about the neighborhood that people living in the tenement heard some one moving about in the vacant apartment last Sunday morning," said Miss Packard today.

Clue Is Concealed.
"Even the children know about it. I cannot understand how the police overlooked the fact. It is gossip, too, that some of the people know the young man who was in the vacant apartment."

The supposition is that because of the lateness of the hour when she returned home from Clason Point, which is a miniature Coney Island, the girl was afraid to go home.

Herbert Knox Smith Returns to Capital

Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, refused today to discuss the question of his rumored resignation. Commissioner Smith returned to Washington today from Oyster Bay, where he visited Colonel Roosevelt, and Hartford, Conn., where he visited his brother, F. W. Smith.

A Hartford dispatch states that in reply to a question whether he had resigned Commissioner Smith said: "If I had resigned I should say so."

The commissioner of corporations was a member of the "tennis cabinet" and has not been strongly in sympathy with the present Administration. With James Garfield he was one of the 1901-1908 "cabinet" most frequently in the public eye. Since President Taft assumed the office he has played a rather inconspicuous part, although those who are opposed to his political sympathies have not charged that he is not an efficient and well-qualified official.

American Riflemen Win Handsome Trophy

There soon will be added to the collection at the War Department a new trophy, recently won by an American rifle team in Buenos Ayres.

The trophy is very attractive, and is considered the handsomest yet won by an American rifle team. It is made of silver and stands three feet on a marble base. It will be held here for one year, when it will again be competed for in August, 1913, at Camp Perry, Ohio.

In winning the trophy in South America, the American team competed against the world's best marksmen. The team is now returning from its long trip, bringing the prize with them. The trophy is expected to reach Washington some time during the coming week, and will be placed on exhibition at the War Department in a place to be announced later.

Succeeds Andrew



ROBERT O. BAILEY.

ROBERT O. BAILEY SUCCEEDS ANDREW AS FISCAL CHIEF

Former Newspaper Man Is Named As Assistant Secretary of Treasury.

Robert O. Bailey, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury in charge of miscellaneous divisions, has been appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury in charge of the fiscal divisions. The appointment was announced by Secretary MacVeagh.

Bailey succeeds A. Platt Andrew, who resigned after writing a letter in which he attacked Secretary MacVeagh.

Until a successor has been named to Bailey as assistant in charge of miscellaneous divisions he will continue to have charge of this work.

Bailey was a newspaperman until the Taft Administration began. In 1906, when he became an officeholder, he was named Assistant Secretary of the Treasury to succeed Charles D. Hillier, who was made private secretary to President Taft.

Congress has not shown any disposition to dig deep into Treasury affairs unless the accusations made by Andrew in his letter are converted by him into charges against MacVeagh.

The appointment of Bailey to succeed Dr. Andrew temporarily closes the incident, according to reports.

Scientists to Attend Fertilizer Gathering

A half dozen Washington scientists will go to Atlantic City next week to attend the nineteenth annual convention of the National Fertilizer Association. Dr. Frank K. Cameron, representing the Department of Agriculture, Hoyt S. Gale, of the Geological Survey, and William H. Waggoner, of the Bureau of Soils, will make addresses. Other who will speak are W. W. Finley, president of the Southern railway; Congressman A. P. Lever, Andrew M. Soule, of the Georgia State College of Agriculture, and Henry G. Bell, agronomist of the Middle West soil improvement committee.

BOY SCOUTS CAMP MAY BE MADE INTO NATIONAL AFFAIR

Success of Venture At River View Leads to Larger Plans.

So very successful has the Boy Scouts' camp at River View been that it now is planned to make it a national affair. The grounds of the old river resort can be obtained for next summer, and tentative plans call for a general invitation to Boy Scouts all over the United States.

According to E. S. Martin, in charge of the local offices of the Scouts, there are hundreds of Boy Scouts throughout the United States who never have paid the National Capital a visit, or have seen Mt. Vernon. The plan is to make the camp so attractive next summer that parents all over the country will send their boys here for several weeks. While at camp they could come to the city sightseeing and in the Scouts' boats visit Mt. Vernon.

There is room at River View for several hundred tents, and it is believed that once the proposition is properly advanced that there would be no trouble in making the camp a national instead of a local affair. A better place than River View hardly could be obtained, for almost every camping condition is met there.

At the present eight army tents are used. Next summer it is planned to have at least a hundred, and more if necessary.

The present camp is under the management of Malcolm P. Junkin, of Pennsylvania State College. Mr. Junkin in addition to being a splendid swimmer and all-round athlete, is a physician, and has established a hospital tent at the camp. J. T. Wise, of Georgetown University, is director of water activities, and J. A. Martin, also a Georgetown man, is director of athletics. R. J. Bonde and R. C. Howes are Scout masters.

The buildings at River View have been turned over to the boys. The dancing pavilion has been made into a look-alike ball court, the old dining room and kitchen has been put into condition and is being used as a mess hall. The merry-go-round shelter has been turned into a carpenter's shop. The ten-pin alleys have been repaired and the boys roll games daily. The office building has been converted into a storeroom.

J. A. Thomas and wife are in charge of the kitchen and dining room. They formerly were with a local steamship line. They feed the boys on chicken, ham and eggs, fish, and almost everything the market affords. What is lacking is obtained in the city and taken to the camp in a motor launch, Black Arrow, which makes one and sometimes two trips daily.

A basketball league has been established. Tent No. 3 lends the league with five games won and one lost. Tent No. 4 comes a close second with five won and two lost.

Tomorrow will be visitors' day, the Black Arrow making a trip at 9 o'clock and another at 1 o'clock.

District Building Vacations Begun

Vacation season has begun at the District Building. Commissioner Judson has left for a month's visit to the northern part of Michigan and Commissioner Johnston is arranging to leave Saturday for New London, Conn., where he will spend the remainder of July and part of August.

Commissioner Rudolph has not decided when his period of rest and recreation will begin, but it probably will not be before the return of one of the other members of the board. Capt. Mark Brooke, Assistant Engineer Commissioner, is considering a visit to Atlantic City next month. Frank J. Wagner, of the Fire Department, and Mrs. Wagner left yesterday for a two weeks' stay at the coast resort.

Waldo C. Hibbs, secretary to Commissioner Rudolph, will spend his vacation as usual in "hiking" over the hills and valleys of Virginia and West Virginia.

STORM DRENCHES VETERANS HOLDING "WET NIGHT" PARTY

Soaking Rain Reminds Columbia Volunteers of First Night in Cuba.

In the midst of the celebration of "Wet Night" last night by the survivors of Company A, First Regiment District of Columbia Volunteers, Spanish War Veterans, a terrific rain storm came up, and for a few moments put a stop to the festivities.

The veterans were celebrating the fourteenth anniversary of their landing at Santiago, Cuba. For ten hours on the night of their arrival the First Regiment stood in a blinding rain and wind storm. Each year since then Company A has celebrated what they call "Wet Night."

Usually a large number of members from the other companies join in the event.

The celebration last night was held at Loeffler's on the Bladensburg pike. While Corporal Joseph Quill, who was known to the "boys of '98" as the company's comedian, was telling of the terrific rain storm that fell at Santiago, the rain broke.

The veterans were forced to run for shelter, where for the rest of the evening the celebration was held. Just as he kept his company cheerful and full of spirit while in Cuba, by his jovial disposition, Corporal Quill kept them in an uproar last night, telling of his experiences.

Among those present were J. Howard Ducker, president of the "Wet Night Club"; William E. O'Neal, vice president; John Byrne, secretary; John A. Gallagher, Capt. Harry W. Kelly, Lieut. C. J. Harlow, M. Haley, Joseph J. Harvey, William Kelly, Harry A. Martin, Corporal Joseph A. Quill, Corporal C. W. Gwynne, J. H. Puntney, Thomas Gallagher, Charles J. Meyers, Harris Bonault, Capt. B. Chelton, of Company G; Frank G. Hagan, Dick Hagan, and George R. Hagan.

FRANK WALTER CUTS HUNDRED DOLLARS FROM FOURTH DEBT

Sends Check for Amount to Commissioner Rudolph. Another Helps.

Commissioner Rudolph, chairman of the safe and sane committee on the Fourth of July, received today from Frank Walter a check for \$100, reducing the total indebtedness of the committee from \$700 to \$600. Announcement is made by the committee, the members of which are personally responsible for the debt, that unless the deficiency is wiped out Washington has witnessed its last public celebration of Independence Day.

Accompanying Mr. Walter's check was the following letter:

"I take the liberty of handing you my check for \$100 toward the reduction of the balance of the debt for the celebration of the Fourth. It would seem to me that the balance of the amount that your committee so generously assumed should be promptly donated, and the continuance of this most patriotic celebration assured."

Another subscriber, August Donath, writes: "It certainly is not right that the men whose time is valuable should suffer monetary loss for having given it for the benefit of the community. In order that I may be able to say 'not guilty,' I enclose my check for \$5."

Prince's Birthday.

LONDON, July 12.—Prince John, the fifth son and youngest child of King George and Queen Mary, had a birthday anniversary today. Though the prince is but seven years old and stands fifth in the line of succession to the throne, his birthday anniversary is marked by the firing of the customary salute in the Long Walk and all of the other official honors accorded to the older members of the royal family.

For the Summer Home



IT'S the mark of a good host to have on hand a supply of Clicquot Club. Its purity, its wholesomeness and its delicious taste insure its popularity everywhere. It is a tempting, beneficial drink for the hot days—refreshing and cooling. It is thoroughly safe and wholesome for children as well as adults.



You could not improve Clicquot Club, even if you had our facilities. The best of everything goes into it—extra grade confectioner's sugar, the choicest ginger (from which we extract all the resin and thus remove the astringency and constipating tendency), oils of select lemons and lemons and cold, crystal-pure spring water. No preservatives or other chemical ingredients are used.

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In All Sizes & Widths
In gun metal, tan calf skin,
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Seaman Not Insane.

Edward F. Ryan, a seaman, who, it said, threatened "to put a bullet through the heart" of Rear Admiral Andrews, chief of the Bureau of Navigation, because of a dispute over pay, was released from the Government Hospital for the Insane yesterday. The testimony of physicians before a jury was in his favor.

Want Fund for Missions.

It is hoped to raise several thousand dollars by the special services to be held in all Seventh Day Adventist churches in the country July 27, in the interest of foreign missions. Arrangements are being made by the general conference of the denomination at Takoma Park.

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\$2.50 and \$3 All-Silk Taffeta and Pongee Parasols at \$1.35

Plain colors are hunter and dark green, king's and navy blue, purple, red, black, white, green, black or blue with striped border; green, white or blue with Dresden border or inserting; black and white effects and the embroidered white linen, the parasol you can wash. Some have gilt ribs and black ribs. All have stylish handles. Worth \$2.50 and \$3.00. Rebuilding Sale price..... **\$1.35**

\$1.50 Ratine Braid Dress Sets, Latest Styles, Set,

\$1.19

5c Cross-Bar Handkerchiefs, Dozen,

25c

75c Head Scarfs, All Shades, Each

44c

Men's 50c Balbriggan and Gauze Lisle Underwear—Garment . . . 34c

Ever ready to afford you the opportunity of a liberal saving whenever possible, our Men's Department again comes to the front with a special purchase of seasonable underwear at a great concession in price.

You have choice tomorrow of all sizes in short-sleeve shirts and double-seat pants in either French Balbriggan or white gauze lisle—garments of the highest standard of quality and manufacture. There are only about 150 dozen, and at the price we are offering them they will not last long. In order to get your size we advise you to be on hand early tomorrow morning. Positively 50c values. Special Rebuilding Sale price, garment..... **34c**

Sale of Manufacturer's Samples of
MERINO UNDERWEAR

Wonderful values in Women's and Children's High-Grade Underwear. We have secured a full line of manufacturer's samples, which we are going to sell at a remarkably low price. Have divided them in two distinct lots.

68c to \$1.75 Fine Merino Underwear 29c

Women's Extra Fine Lisle Thread Combination Suits; low neck; sleeveless; knee length; lace trimmed or plain. Women's Extra Fine Lisle Thread Vests; low neck; no sleeves; plain or with fancy crocheted or lace yokes. Lisle Thread Pants, with deep ruffle of lace. Fine Mercerized and Silk Vests, in white, pink, or sky; low neck; sleeveless. Women's Extra Size Combination Suits; low neck; sleeveless; knee length; lace trimmed or plain goods, ranging in price from 68c to \$1.75. Tomorrow, 29c each.

25c to 50c Merino Underwear 12c

Women's Fine Ribbed Pants, knee length; lace trimmed Corset Covers, ribbed low neck, sleeveless; Women's Fancy Vests, low neck, sleeveless, crocheted yoke; Boys' Fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; Women's Ribbed Vests, high neck, short sleeves; Children's Combination Suits, high neck, short sleeves, knee length; Boys' Porosknit Shirts and Drawers. Regular 25c and 50c garments at 12c.

Women's Waists, Worth Up to \$2, 66c

Women's White Lingerie Waists, trimmed with lace and inserting, or embroidered; neatly made; Dutch or high neck, and worth up to \$2.00. Tomorrow..... **66c**

Hosiery

Misses' Silk Lisle Hose, double sole, spliced heel; 50c value. **35c**
Special..... **35c**
Misses' Silk Hose, double sole, high spliced heel and garter top; \$1.50 value. Special..... **\$1.00**
Children's Fancy Socks; all sizes. Special, 12c and..... **25c**
Children's Fine Ribbed Hose; double heel and toe. Special..... **12c**

Special Sale of Black Velvet Ribbon

ALL BOWS TIED FREE.
1 1/2-inch, 25c..... **21c**
2-inch, 35c..... **29c**
2 1/2-inch, 35c..... **32c**
3-inch, 45c..... **35c**
3 1/2-inch, 55c..... **45c**
4-inch, 65c..... **50c**
Also a large line of Colored Velvet Ribbons, in all the newest shades, at special prices.

GLOVES

Two-clasp Double-tipped Silk Gloves, in black, white and colors; regular 50c value. Rebuild- **39c**

16-button length, Double-tipped, Embroidered Silk Gloves, in white; regular \$1.50 value. Re- **\$1.00**

16-button length, Double-tipped Silk Gloves, in black and white; regular \$1.00 quality, at **69c**

16-button length, Milanese Lisle Gloves, in white, **50c and 75c**

Two-clasp Washable Chamotte Gloves, in white and natural color..... **50c**

Toilet Specials

1-lb. bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen..... **12c**

Large jar Deodorant, the reliable deodorant for dainty people..... **16c**

Stillman's Freckle Cream..... **33c**

Rubber-lined Tourist Cases..... **25c**

Refined Sea Salt, for the bath. Large box..... **10c**

Bocobelli Castle Soap, 1/2 pound..... **10c**

Physician's and Surgeon's Soap..... **5c**

Mug Shaving Soap, cake..... **3c**

Pyrolin Soap Boxes, all colors..... **23c**

Traveler's Soap Leaves, box..... **10c**

Aluminum Collapsible Cups..... **39c**

Packer's Tar Soap, cake..... **13c**

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